Cliff Groh—State Representative House District 20—Alaska Democratic Party Primary Candidate (D)

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Age: 64

Place of Birth: Anchorage

Spouse's Name: Theresa

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Occupation: Attorney

Length of Residency in Alaska: 64

Alaskan Communities Lived in:

Anchorage 1954-1981; 1982-1987; 1992-2000; 2006-present Juneau 1981-1982; 1987-1992 Sitka 2000-2006

Education:

West High Harvard UC, Berkeley (J.D.)

Political and Government Positions:

Legislative Aide; Assistant District Attorney; Special Assistant Commissioner of Revenue; Assistant Municipal Attorney, Anchorage; City and Borough Attorney, Sitka

Service Organization(s) Membership:

Alaska Common Ground; Cook Inlet Historical Society

Special Interests:

Public policy; skiing

Other:

I've dedicated years of hard work to ensure Alaskans have their fair shot. From working on the PFD bill, to my time as a prosecutor protecting children, I've put in the effort to make a difference for all Alaskans.

After being the Chair of Alaska Common Ground, educating Alaskans on our fiscal situation and healthcare costs, I want to bring my expertise to Juneau.

I'm committed to Alaska and I want to give back to the community that has supported me for my whole life. 85

Position Statement:

District 20 needs a bold leader who has a proven track record of doing what's right for Alaskans.

I will fight for several things in Juneau. The first is opportunity for all--I'm a product of three Anchorage schools and the education I received at them prepared me for success and the skills to work hard towards my dreams. Every child should have that same opportunity. We need to invest in vital public services like education so future generations can continue to thrive in Alaska.

Alaskans also deserve affordable healthcare. We have some of the highest healthcare costs in the nation; these costs are crippling our economy and preventing us from getting the care we need. I have smart strategies to lower these costs and repair our broken system.

Getting our fiscal house in order is long overdue. I will stand my ground to prevent further harmful cuts to our budgets. We need new revenue to support our police so they can combat crime in our communities, we need to address the backlog of deferred maintenance and address our crumbling infrastructure and roads, and we need to make sure oil companies are paying their fair share in Alaska.

I'm ready to stand up for our values. I've worked across the aisle to get major legislation passed and I have the Alaska roots that make this race personal. I want to build an Alaska that shares our strong values and deep commitment. I would be honored to have your vote.

